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For the office action dated at 04 / 19 / 2004, please amend the above-referenced Patent Application as following. The amendment is same as the previous one. Thus Examiner can only see the copy:

## **AMENDMENT**

### **IN THE CLAIM**

Please cancel Claims 1 to 4, 8, 9, and 15, without prejudice or disclaimer of the subject matter thereof, and amend the original claims 5, 10 and 17. The original claim 6, 7, 11, 12, 13, 14 and 16 are remained without any amendment, but some amendments are performed so as to overcome the objection in the office action. Moreover, the claim 5 and 10 are now the independent claims of the present invention. The amendments of claims 5, 10, and 17 cause that these claims match the requirement of the U. S. patent. Thus no new matter is added.

### **What is claimed is:**

Claims 1 – 4 (Cancelled)

Claim 5. (Currently amended) A laser measuring device, comprising:

a housing including a first casing, and a second casing combined with the first casing; wherein

the first casing of the housing has a lower end formed with a protruding support base; and

the second casing of the housing has a lower end formed with a recess to receive the support base of the first casing of the housing;

wherein the first casing of the housing has an upper end formed with a concave portion, and the second casing of the housing has an upper end formed with a convex portion received in the concave portion of the first

casing of the housing.

Claim 6. (Original Claim) The laser measuring device in accordance to claim 5, wherein the upper end and the lower end of the first casing of the housing are non-symmetrical with each other.

Claim 7. (Original Claim) The laser measuring device in accordance with claim 5, wherein the upper end and lower end of the second casing of the housing are non-symmetrical with each other.

Claims 8-9. (Cancelled)

Claim 10. (Currently amend) A laser measuring device, comprising:  
a housing including a first casing, and a second casing combined with the first casing;

the first casing of the housing having ~~has~~ a lower end formed with a protruding support base; and

the second casing of the housing having ~~has~~ a lower end formed with a recess to receive the support base of the first casing of the housing;

a laser head mounted in the first casing of the housing and having a top provided with a plurality of adjusting screws aligning with a ~~the~~ concave portion of the first casing of the housing, so that when the second casing is removed from the first casing, the adjusting screws of the laser head are exposed outwards from the concave portion of the first casing of the housing;

Claim 11. (Original) The laser measuring device in accordance with claim 10, further comprising two levels each mounted on and protruded outwards from the housing and each located above the laser head.

Claim 12 (Original) The laser measuring device in accordance with claim 11, wherein the top of the laser head is provided with two support racks, and each of the two levels is fixed on a respective one of the two support racks of the laser head.

**Claim 13. (Original)** The laser measuring device in accordance with claim 11, wherein the laser head has an end formed with a stepped extension for supporting one of the two levels.

**Claim 14. (Original)** The laser measuring device in accordance with claim 11, wherein one of the two levels is directed toward a longitudinal direction of the housing, and the other one of the two levels is directed toward a transverse direction of the housing.

**Claim 15. (Cancelled)**

**Claim 16. (Original)** The laser measuring device in accordance with claim 10, further comprising a power supply mounted in the housing and connected to the laser head to supply the electric power to the laser head.

**Claim 17. (Currently amended)** The laser measuring device in accordance with claim 16, ~~wherein the~~ further comprising a control knob mounted on and protruded outward from the housing connected to the power supply to control operation of the power supply.